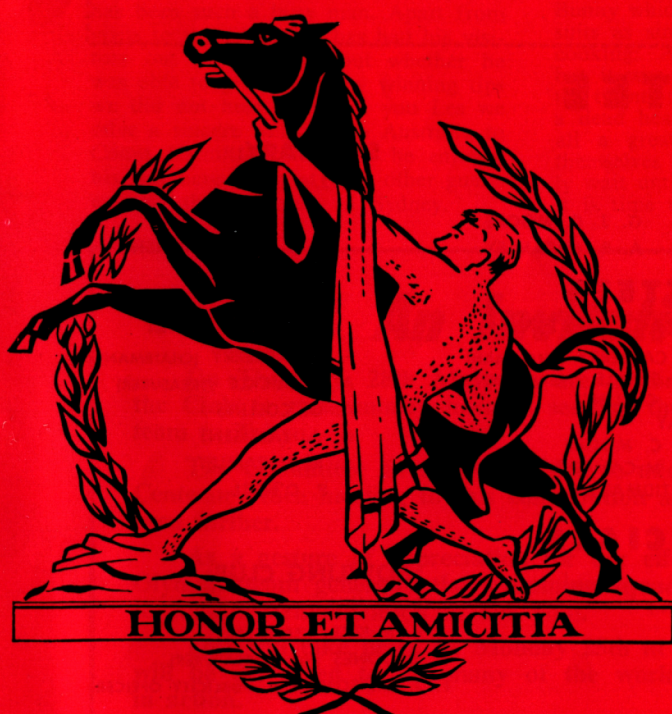


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# Chairman's Message

*In line with our policy here at Tattersall's of fostering amateur sport in all its aspects, we are holding a function on the 28th of this month in order to raise sufficient funds to send two Australian Olympic representatives to Tokyo.*

*On three counts I feel we could sponsor few worthier causes.*

*The first is that our sportsmen and women have proved over and over again that they can more than hold their own with their contemporaries anywhere in the world if given the opportunity. It is therefore both a responsibility and a duty of their countrymen to give them this opportunity and to see that the very best possible team of athletes is sent away with no restrictions imposed by finance.*

*The second is that the Olympic Games is one of the few strongholds of true amateurism left*

*and as such is deserving of all the support lovers of this approach to sport can give.*

*The third is that our sportspeople going to other countries over the years have done Australia an incalculable amount of good in making our people, our way of life and our national background better known. Therefore, the more often we can give them the opportunity of doing this, both now and in the future, the higher will be our national prestige.*

*For these reasons I appeal to you all to come along on Thursday 28th and support this Olympic Games drive. Or if you are unable to come, send a donation and so assist this paramount sporting cause.*



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# club NEWS and views

## VICE REGAL VISITORS

Committeeman, Les Tidmarsh, has been having a busy time lately entertaining some important visitors to this country, including a Count and Countess. The former is Count Hamilton of Sweden who came to Australia to visit his daughter Ami. Though married to an Australian and living in Griffith, she is a Swedish Countess. Les's other visitors were Sophia Montgomery of the Swedish Embassy in Canberra who was spending some time in Sydney and Dr. Herman, a Swiss who is head of one of the largest aluminium companies in the world. Add to this distinguished group, Harry Bernstein, who most members know by now is a retired film executive from Hollywood who now spends a great deal of time in Australia between trips back home to his native U.S. and it's not hard to see why Les has been such a busy man. Apart from visits to the Club, Les has had his visitors out to the races but whether he was able to give them any winning tips we did not hear. Through you Les we offer a sincere welcome to Australia to Count Hamilton. We hope he enjoyed his stay here and that your other guests enjoyed their sojourn in Sydney.

## "MUNGO BRUSH" ON AGAIN

The regular annual sojourn to Mungo Brush was on again last month. Twenty-four hardy souls took off from Sydney and assembled as usual at Tea Gardens. Traditionally they boarded the barge there and were towed down to Mungo by launch taking along with them the band which consisted of drums, trumpet, piano, piano accordion and bass. Amongst those present were originator and party leader, Les Tidmarsh with Fred Empson, Bunny Durkin, Ron Williams, Claude Moore, and our American visitor, Harry Bernstein.

The week was a great success as always. There were only two days of bad weather which were of course put to good use. Claude Moore won the darts competition and into the bargain took out the fishing honours with an eight pound flathead and some nice bream. He also entered into a kind of decathlon with Bunny which included such uplifting pursuits as singing, drinking, reciting, and cooking. A herculean contest ensued but it was decided on popular vote by the twenty-two judges that the result was a dead heat. As usual the holiday was all a great success, everyone enjoyed themselves to the utmost. They can hardly wait until next year rolls around and it is time to set out again.

## NEWS FROM NEW GUINEA



In a very welcome letter from Kavieng in New Guinea where he lives, our member Frank Patten sends his best regards and some interesting news. His regards go to all his Tattersall's friends especially the "boys in the big room" as he so graphically titles them and from whom he denies (but they affirm) that he won enough when last down here to pay for his trip. His news concerns the situation in New Guinea and we quote:

"We have just completed our first Native Political Election. It went off very well and the officers of our administration deserve all the credit. Now they have the reins and can ask Australia for self government when they think they are ready instead of being pressured by Asian countries as they have in the past."

We originally asked Frank to send us a shot of the giant 480 pound proper that was caught in Kavieng recently. We thought it might be of interest to our readers. Frank willingly obliged and here it is. Though half of it is obscured by the natives there's enough visible to give a pretty good idea of its tremendous size.

Thanks for the picture, Frank, and also your letter. All here at Tattersall's send you very best wishes (especially the "boys in the big room") and we hope it won't be too long before we see you down this way again.

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## SAD CRICKET NEWS

A few issues back we waxed lyrical in a half page spread about the victory our staff cricket team achieved over the A.J.C. team and announced proudly that we were the holders of the Binns-Rich Shield for the first time in many a moon. Alas, at a recent match the tables were turned and the Shield has gone back to the A.J.C. offices at Randwick, which, if the Shield were human, it could well be expected to consider its rightful home by now. Garulous in victory we feel it appropriate to be taciturn in defeat and let this small par. veil the details of our vanquishment which was quite convincing.

## An Invitation

On Thursday, 28th May, we are holding a special night in the Club to raise money towards sending the Australian Olympic team to Tokyo.

The Committee have now decided to add the proceeds of our Centenary race meeting to this contribution and so swell the funds even further.

As a gesture of appreciation for our efforts on behalf of the Olympic team generally the swimming squad have kindly offered to stage a demonstration in our pool.

This will take place on Monday 25th at one o'clock when we will be privileged to see many of the world's greatest swimmers in action.

A donation of £1 has been set down as a minimum for admission and will go towards our Olympic Fund.

All members of Tattersall's are invited to come along to the pool on the third floor on this date for a unique and impressive demonstration which only a few of the general public are ever fortunate enough to see.



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## **club NEWS and views**

### **TOP LEAGUE POST FOR NEW MEMBER**

One of our new members, John O'Toole, has been Secretary of the Country Rugby League for some time and has done an outstanding job in this important sporting position. At the annual meeting of the New South Wales Rugby League held recently, he was not only elected to this State's Board of Control but topped the poll in this election for the fourth consecutive time. That is most certainly an outstanding achievement John and one of which you should feel very proud. We all congratulate you heartily on your election and take this opportunity of giving you a special welcome to Tattersall's. We hope that you will enjoy your stay with us. As you have probably already found out you will be "amongst friends" in the Club for as well as plenty of ardent League supporters we have some present and past players amongst our numbers.

### **AN ACCIDENT AND A CO-INCIDENCE**

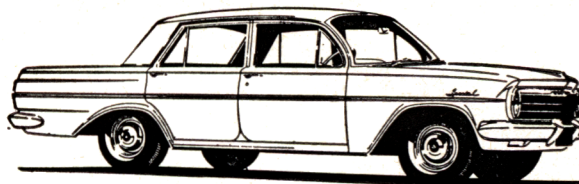
Aus Austin suffered a pretty nasty accident at his home last month when he had four of his fingers crushed. A few minutes after this happened, when Aus was nursing his injury and no doubt saying a few appropriate phrases

under his breath, a white cockatoo flew up and alighted on his arm. Aus was most appreciative of the bird's concern but was at a loss to know, firstly, where it came from and, secondly, who it belonged to for he could not remember having seen it around any of the neighbours' houses. While convalescing over the next couple of weeks he put an ad. in the paper and made some enquiries but with no result. Eventually the owner did turn up and who should it be but Aus's fellow member Len Burke who lives a couple of streets away and who had been most upset at the loss of his pet. Aus reports that, though the bird was quite garrulous, he was like a clam when it came to giving away any of Aus' competitors' business. Never mind Aus, better luck next time. And on a serious note, we're all pleased to know your hand is now almost better.

### **WEDDING BELLS FOR TONY**

Wedding bells rang out loud and clear for Tony Bonnici, assistant in our office on the second floor, last month and there certainly wasn't a happier man in the Club as the day drew near. Tony's bride was Patricia Piercy and the big event took place at the church of St. Peter and St. Paul at Tempe on the 18th of April. With two weeks for their honeymoon, to a destination unknown when this was written, Tony will be back in harness when this reaches print. All members and your fellow employees wish you and Patricia happiness and health for the future Tony.

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# club NEWS and views

## FIVE-MONTH TOUR

There always seems to be some member off on a world trip and this time it is our good friend and member Len Hinds who takes off early this month with wife Win for five months abroad. The Hinds are doing the trip by air, and will take in most of the countries of the world before they are through. As many readers of this column know Len has not been in the best of health of late and this trip should provide him with plenty of relaxation and the right atmosphere in which to get well. Out at the airport to see the Hinds off will be their friends Norm and Van Peters who join with us all in wishing the lucky couple a wonderful trip and Len the very best of health on his return.

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## ROTARY CLUB HONOURS MEMBER

Member A. P. Mackie received a signal honour from Rotary last month. He was elected to Honorary Membership of the Club for his outstanding contribution to the movement over a long period. We quote from the letter which Mr. Mackie received from the Honorary Secretary of Rotary:

"I have the honour to advise you that the Board at its meeting today unanimously elected you to Honorary Mem-

bership of the Club. In this the Board wished to place on record your outstanding service to Rotary both at Club and District levels during the 35 years of your continuous membership of the Rotary Club of Sydney, and to show in some tangible form their appreciation of your distinguished contribution to Rotary ideals of service."

Such a record is something of which to be very proud and we here at Tattersall's would like to add our hearty congratulations to the many that you have already received.

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## THREE GENERATION MEMBERSHIP

Although we have other three generation memberships in Tattersall's, none is more impressive than that of the O'Dea family. John O'Dea was the first member. He served on our Committee for several years and proved himself a very able Committeeman and a great asset to our governing body during his term of office. His son Cecil O'Dea of the well known legal firm of J. J. Carroll, Cecil O'Dea & Co. was our next member and now his two sons, James and John, have joined our numbers. In a letter to the Secretary Cecil says:

"... It was a great honour for my two sons, and I am sure their Grandfather would have been very pleased that both his grandsons were members of such a wonderful Club."

We would like to take this opportunity of congratulating the O'Dea family on their long association with Tattersall's and the contribution they have made to it.

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*Members are reminded that they should be in the  
Dining Room by 8.00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday, and Friday  
and by 8.30 p.m. on Thursdays and Saturdays.*



# Family affair brings dividends

BY C. J. GRAVES OF THE DAILY TELEGRAPH

Unswerving loyalty to a thoroughbred family has paid high dividends for Mr. W. Longworth, Chairman of the Sydney Turf Club, and his wife.

A record of 39 wins by only three of their purchases worth £87,870 must have aroused the envy of many rival owners. The three are Wenona Girl £70,825, Grammar Lad £8,610 and Farnworth £8,435.

The trio cost a total of £16,380. Mr. Longworth paid 2100 gns. for Wenona Girl at the 1959 yearling sales, and after she had proved herself a champion two-year-old he bid 6500 gns. at the 1961 sales for Grammar Lad whom he presented to his wife as a birthday present.

Both were by Wilkes (imp.) from Golden Chariot. At the 1962 sales Mr. Longworth paid 5500 gns. for a colt by Hidalgo, from Golden Chariot, but he needs time to develop. He has not yet raced but his owner believes he will turn out well later.

There have been no more stock offered from Golden Chariot but at the 1963 yearling sales a three-quarter brother to Wenona Girl by Wilkes from Carrus a daughter of Golden Chariot was offered and paying the highest price of that year's sale Mr. Longworth got him for 7000 gns. He was named Farnworth.

Wenona Girl won 27 races and £70,875 in stakes; Grammar Lad with nine wins and many places £8,610; and Farnworth with three wins including the £10,000 "Daily and Sunday Telegraph" Champagne at Randwick Easter carnival £8,435.

Wenona Girl won her first race start in the 1959 Gimcrack Stakes at Randwick and scored at her last race start in March last in the All Aged Stakes at Randwick. Thus she began and retired with flying colours to prepare for her stud career.

Her trainer, Maurice McCarten, said she was as sound as a bell and he was confident could have had another successful year on the turf. But Mr. Longworth was keen to begin her stud career and further racing was decided against.

The trainer believes that she will prove the perfect mother. "She has all the maternal instincts and is a dominant who will always get the best grass for her offspring," he said. "Mated with Todman she should produce a racehorse of high standing."

Mr. Longworth followed in the footsteps of his late father as a keen supporter of racing. Mr. Longworth Sen. raced under the nom de course of Mr. "W. T. Nolan" and won the 1918 Epsom with Satin Bird. The current Mr. Longworth has been an executive pillar of racing acting as Vice-President for many years and later as Chairman of

Sydney's second racing institution, the enterprising and successful, Sydney Turf Club. He was an Olympic swimmer and supporter of many amateur sports. His chief concern at racing is to let his friends know when his horses are ready to win, and as he has had plenty of success lately his followers naturally proclaim him *one of the best* in horse-racing. Which of course there is no gainsaying.

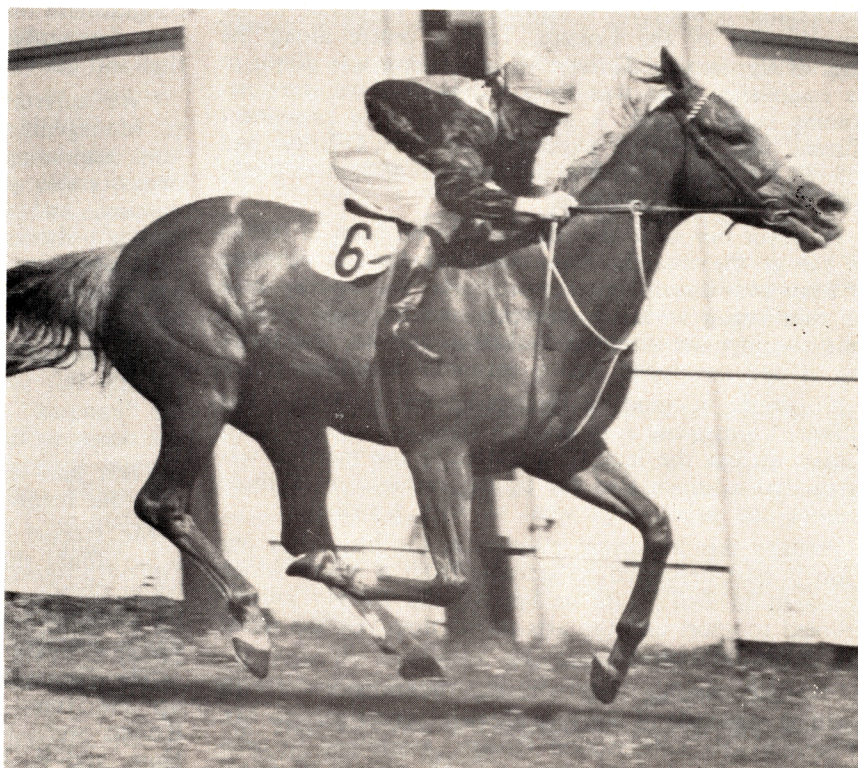
Because his father early put down his name for nomination, Mr. Longworth dates back a long way (50 years) as a member of Tattersall's Club. He was accepted as a member in August 1914.

Maurice McCarten who as a trainer has been associated with all the success of the progeny of Golden Chariot has proved himself a versatile man of the

Turf. He was highly successful as a New Zealand and Australian jockey and has participated as trainer in a long string of important events including the 1951 Melbourne Cup with Delta.

His versatile success as jockey and trainer is best exemplified by five riding wins and five training wins in Tattersall's Chelmsford Stakes, one of Randwick's most important weight-for-age events of the racing calendar.

Mr. McCarten has been a popular but quietly spoken member of Tattersall's since June 1942. A man with a gift of oratory, he made an impression with his speech when the Club organised a Turf send-off to the Australian Jockey Club Chairman the late Sir Colin Stephen on the eve of a world tour in racing interests.



Wenona Girl who won for her owner, Bill Longworth, £70,825 in prize money before her retirement from racing in March this year.



# History of Tattersall's Club

## Chapter II

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In our initial chapter in the History of Tattersall's Club we traced the origin of our name and its connection with the famous Tattersall's "Horse Bazaar" in London. We then dealt with the events which led up to its establishment in Sydney in the year 1858 and the advertisement which appeared in the Sydney Morning Herald in May of that year. We saw how this was inserted by William John O'Brien who immediately prior to its publication had changed the name of his hotel in Pitt Street from The Mayor's Inn to Tattersall's Hotel. Now read on . . .

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Mr. O'Brien had really done justice to the occasion of the inaugural meeting of Tattersall's Rooms on the night of the 14th May 1858.

The room he had set aside for the purpose measured an imposing fifty by twenty feet and down its centre he had set up one long table. Covered with a snowy white starched linen tablecloth it made an impressive sight as its sterling silver place settings gleamed in the light of a hundred candles which the cut glass goblets and decanters reflected back from a thousand facets. Its rich deep red carpet lent the right touch of opulence while the heavy drapes at the windows set the room off as a private and cosy world apart from the rest of Sydney.

Appropriately at the entrance to the room stood Mr. O'Brien ready to greet his guests with obvious pride in his role of host for the night.

News of this meeting had caused quite a stir around fashionable Sydney for it represented a milestone in the development of the Colony. That a centre along the lines of the famous Tattersall's in London was about to be established here was truly a sign that we were becoming sophisticated. A good attendance of prominent citizens was therefore expected and Mr. O'Brien had catered for eighty, which in different circumstances might well have been inadequate.

However our Club was destined to be born in travail as far as the weather was concerned for the morning of May 14th dawned grey and cloudy. As the day wore on rain began to fall in torrents and by eight o'clock that evening, the advertised starting time for the meeting, it had developed into a veritable cloudburst.

No doubt a cloud of disappointment darkened Mr. O'Brien's otherwise rosy horizon when only forty guests turned up but the lack of numbers at the meeting was more than compensated for by the enthusiasm of those present and proceedings went off with a swing.

Perhaps this important evening in the history of our Club is best described by quoting from a report which appeared in *Bell's Life in Sydney*, the leading journal devoted to sport and the arts at the time. Of the meeting, *Bell's Life* says:

"Notwithstanding the unusual inclemency of the weather, upwards of forty gentlemen, subscribers to Mr. O'Brien's new Subscription Rooms, assembled to celebrate the formal inauguration of this most desirable institution, and sat down to a banquet provided by the worthy host, in every respect exceptional.

"Mr. Robert Fisher presided, supported by Mr. C. Roberts and Mr. Lemon. Covers were laid for double the number of guests, but the absence of the minority was fully excused by the relentless elements which fell in torrents.

"A recognized establishment of this kind is one of the most effectual aids towards preserving that integrity and good faith between man and man departures from which occasionally, though we rejoice to add, in this Colony, rarely occur.

"The support which these Subscription Rooms have received from patrons of the Turf in all quarters, including the great Tattersall's of the British capital, is a matter of history.

"The sister Colony has, for some time past, boasted a Tattersall's, but our recollection of that most ill-regulated place is such that we may assuredly and truly congratulate ourselves in possessing a Room, which will bear favourable comparison, both in respect to situation and convenience, with any other south of the line.

"We entertain every confidence that the Committee of Management will compile so stringent a code of laws regulating the admission of members, that no objectionable personages will succeed in obtaining admission, and we have equal confidence in the Proprietor's determination to second the labours of the Committee by continuing to uphold the respectability which was ever attached, under present management to the Mayor's Inn, now known as 'Tattersall's'."

Our foundation members enjoyed a most pleasant evening but also a busy and productive one for after the "banquet" the tables were cleared and those present got down to the purpose of the evening.

Their first task was to appoint a Committee and this they did forthwith.

Mr. Robert Fisher was voted into the chair and there is no doubt that those present could not have made a better choice. A well known man about Sydney he had the confidence of the community at large and our foundation members in particular.

The Committee elected to assist Mr. Fisher and draw up the rules and regulations governing Tattersall's Rooms were Messrs. A. Schroder, A. Thompson, R. Hare, and R. Driver, Jnr.

After this the business of the evening being completed the meeting was adjourned and the Committee





## Initial Rules and Regulations

1. That this Club be called Tattersall's Subscription Betting Rooms.

2. That it be placed under the management of a Committee of twelve to be chosen by the subscribers from amongst themselves.

3. That a Secretary be appointed to be ex-officio a member of the Committee.

4. That a third of the Committee go out of office by lot annually, after the first two years by rotation.

5. That the Committee appoint a Chairman annually, at the Annual Meeting to be held on the last Monday in April each year.

6. That so far as practicable the Rules of Betting to be adhered to by the subscribers to Tattersall's be founded upon and similar to the new rules of betting recently passed in England.

7. That when a member of Tattersall's shall, after application or neglect to pay any bet they may have made within one week after the result of the same they shall be considered defaulters and expelled the Room, and unable to receive any bets they may have won unless they shall give the Committee a satisfactory reason for such default.

8. That no defaulter shall be readmitted but by fresh election after having discharged all his liabilities in full.

9. That the Australian Jockey Club be requested to co-operate with the Committee of Tattersall's in the punishment of defaulters, "Thus the defaulters of Tattersall's shall be unable to run horses at any meeting where the Rules of the Australian Jockey Club are recognized and that anyone in default for stakes or forfeits shall be considered and deemed to be a defaulter at Tattersall's and liable to be dealt with as such."

10. That the Subscription to Tattersall's be one guinea per annum payable in advance.

11. That any person desirous of being admitted a member of Tattersall's be proposed and seconded by two members and his name be posted in the Room for seven days, and no objection being made by any member he shall be considered as elected.

12. That any member using abusive language to another in the Room or in any way creating a disturbance be reprimanded by the Committee and called upon by them to apologise, or having been reprimanded and refusing or declining to apologise be expelled the Room.

13. That in case of a member of the Committee so misconducting himself the remainder of the Body or the majority of them shall have the power of at once erasing such member's name from the Committee and from the Room and of appointing someone in his place.

14. That the Chairman of the Committee does not vote unless in the case of an equality of votes when he shall give the casting vote.

15. That the Committee take cognizance and arbitrate on all bets between members of the Room.

16. That the rooms at Tattersall's be open at such times as the Committee may appoint.

17. That the following be the Rules of Betting adopted at Tattersall's.

given three days in which to draft the rules and regulations. The next meeting was scheduled for May 17th.

In due course these were framed and adopted and the seventeen points set out in the extreme right hand column on this page were laid down as the principles under which our Club began its operations.

In the framing of these rules and regulations Richard Driver was the prime mover so we today owe him our thanks for laying down the basic principles under which we operate. Though the Rules and Regulations of Tattersall's were of course destined to be changed several times in the course of the century they are still the same in basic concept as they were then and reflect the highest aspirations in dealings between "man and man."

It was perhaps natural that Richard Driver took the lead in framing these Rules of Tattersall's for he had an ardent interest in the Club and was to play an important part in our affairs during his lifetime.

And so on May 17th 1858 Tattersall's came fully into being as an entity. From that day on it became a popular and fashionable meeting place, always gaily crowded on nights prior to important race meetings when squatters from the country would mix with Sydney's principal business men in laying wagers on their particular fancies.

On these nights, too, members of the Union Club would attend to make up a crowd who were not afraid to back their opinions with wagers which were sizable indeed for those days.

Despite its early success Tattersall's was by no means affluent during its first few years of operation and it leaned heavily on the generosity of O'Brien. However, he was a good and faithful friend to the Club and his assistance was always forthcoming. For instance he charged nothing in the way of rent for Tattersall's Room, and though it could of course be argued that he made profits from those who were brought to the hotel by it, those who remembered him were always ready to insist that his help was prompted by motives other than profit.

Be that as it may we members of Tattersall's owe a decided debt of gratitude to William John O'Brien who has many times been aptly described as Tattersall's Clubs' kindly "Godfather".





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# **"OLYMPIC GAMES NIGHT"**

*to be held on the*

**FIRST FLOOR**

**THURSDAY, 28th MAY**



*There will be  
the "usual first floor activities"*

## **LADIES INVITED FROM 6.30 P.M.**

For the really worthwhile cause of raising sufficient funds to send two of our Olympic representatives to Tokyo we are holding the above night. Proceedings will follow the same pattern as our usual Christmas functions so there will be plenty of fun and excitement for all. Light refreshments will be supplied.

## **SO COME ONE, COME ALL IN A GOOD CAUSE.**

If you can't come along for any reason you can still help. Just place a donation, large or small in an envelope and address it to "The Olympic Games Appeal", Tattersall's Club, Elizabeth Street, Sydney.





# Successful Month For Ken Glass

Ken Glass had a splendid month in the Pool when he won the March-April Point Score, his second trophy of the season, and regained the lead in the annual "Native Son" Point Score which he had lost to Paul Blake.

Surprise packet was Malcolm Lane-Brown who came from a long way back and with a good win in the last race of the series, ended up only two points behind Ken in second place.

All in all the series was a thriller as Norm Rogers was half a point away in third position, a similar margin in front of Ken Humphery with four swimmers within one and a half points of the last named.

In the "Native Son" series Norm Rogers has come up to second place only three points behind Glass and another to come into the picture is John Keating whilst Paul Blake has fallen back into fourth place.

Col Bowes picked the wrong time to find his best form as he won his last two races of the monthly series whereas if he had only come good in the first two of the new series he would have been sitting pretty for the new point score. Bad luck, too, that he swam so well that he lost a second from his handicap.

Johnny Devitt arrived in the Pool one day with a smile that wouldn't come off. Asked the reason for the brightness, our Olympic winner replied "I've just caught up with Jon Henricks, my wife presented me with a second daughter on 5th April." Both doing well so congrats from all to John.

When Norm Rogers saw Syd Kay and his wife entertaining Swimming Club officials Sam Block and Jack Dexter and wives in the dining room during the month he dashed over to their table with the tip "I'll bet Syd gets another second on his handicap."

Great was Norm's joy when he noted that his tip had come off and he didn't forget to chip Sam and Jack and announced to all hearers that this was the way to get another second.

Accordingly we checked up the records and found that Syd was due for a rise, he'd only won one heat all the season, but the joke was on the officials, all the same.

Whilst on the subject of handicapping it's not often that you find

a swimmer objecting to an increase in handicap yet that's just what Bruce Cameron did when he went up one. He reckons he'll lose it first up. History will prove who was right. Anyhow Bruce's record has been so poor this season that he deserved a lift, come what may.

Fields for the races continue first rate and the average for the last four races was forty-one.

Numbered amongst new swimmers last month was Olympic and Empire Games star boxer, Tony Madigan. Glad to see you, Tony, and we hope you will enjoy your swimming. First up, Tony went ahead of the call and was outed. Reckon the Check Starter was a game man to out Tony.

Another new starter in J. Davidson suffered a similar fate but it won't be long before he gets used to the call and on his time trial he's no end of a useful performer. Anyway he's got an advantage on most of the others as he's so tall that his dive puts him nearly at the other end of the Pool.

Charlie Robinson, a limit marker, is another new member who is improving well. In his first effort he just made the end after swallowing a lot of water but in his last race he was just pipped out of a place.

Looking round the Pool the other day we were struck by the number of star sportsmen in the water or having lunch. Amongst them were John Devitt, Tony Madigan, David Emanuel, Keith Cross, Arthur Summons, Bill Kendall and Bill Butchart, all Australian representatives in their own particular sports.

Sorry to hear of the death of grand sportsman Mervyn Finlay's father. Sincere sympathy from all the boys to you and yours, Mervyn.

Swimmers who lost seconds from their handicaps last month were Schachtel, Morrissey and Bowes.

Best winning times were: 18.8 Bill Kendall, 19.2, 19.4, 19.5 and 19.7 Malcolm Lane-Brown, 20.2 Ken Humphery, 20.7 Norm Rogers and 21.2 Bill Butchart.

## RESULTS

**31st March, 80 yards Brace Relay Handicap—1st Division Final:** D. Morrissey and J. Keating (47) 1, D. Emanuel and K. Glass (44) 2, J. McClean and A. O'Connor (51) 3. Time 45.5 secs. **2nd Division Final:** K. Humphery and J. C. Brice (44) 1, T. Forrest and K. Brown (44) 2, A. Ball and K. Cross (46) 3. Time 42.9 secs.

**7th April, 40 yards Handicap—1st Division Final:** D. Morrissey (25) 1, P. Schachtel (27) 2, W. Butchart (22) 3. Time 23.7 secs. **2nd Division Final:** K. Glass (25) 1, D. Keating (24) 2, D. Dind (27) 3. Time 24.2 secs. **3rd Division Final:** M. Lane-Brown (20) 1, B. Aboud (26) 2, A. Ball (22) 3. Time 19.7 secs.

**14th April, 80 yards Brace Relay Handicap—1st Division Final:** C. Bowes and W. Butchart (47) 1, J. Shaffran and R. Harris (47) 2, F. Falson and A. O'Connor (47) 3. Time 46.2 secs. **2nd Division Final:** N. Rogers and K. Glass (46) 1, P. Winn and J. Comans (47) 2, A. Ball and D. Dind (49) 3. Time 45 secs.

**21st April, 40 yards Handicap—1st Division Final:** M. Lane-Brown (20) 1, W. Kendall (19) 2, J. Comans (26) 3. Time 19.5 secs. **2nd Division Final:** N. Rogers (21) 1, K. Humphery (21) 2, P. Schachtel (26) 3. Time 20.1 secs. **3rd Division Final:** J. Keating (22) 1, J. C. Brice (23) 2, C. Coppa (28) 3. Time 21.4 secs. **4th Division Final:** C. Bowes (25) 1, G. Williams (22) 2, T. Hill (23) 3. Time 24.5 secs.

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## MARCH-APRIL POINT SCORE

This series resulted: K. Glass (26 points) 1, M. Lane-Brown (24) 2, N. Rogers (23½) 3, K. Humphery (23) 4, D. Morrissey (22½) 5, A. Ball and J. Keating (22) 6, J. C. Brice (21½) 8, C. Bowes (20) 9, J. Comans (19½) 10, R. Harris and A. O'Connor (19) 11, D. Dind (18) 13, K. Brown (17½) 14, A. Hickey, J. McClean, W. Rowe and P. Schachtel (16) 15.

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## "NATIVE SON" POINT SCORE

Leaders in this series, for all points scored during the season, were, on 23rd April: K. Glass (119), N. Rogers (116), J. Keating (110½), P. Blake (110), A. Ball (107½), J. Levy (103), C. Coppa (99), C. Bowes, J. Comans and T. Hill (97), J. McClean (94½), T. Forrest (94), P. Winn (93½), K. Johnson (93), A. O'Connor (87), P. Lindsay and J. C. Brice (86), K. Brown (85½), T. Hellmrich (82), L. Foley (81), R. Harris (78), H. Bate (76½), K. Humphery (74½).





# Singles Championship to Shean

Congratulations from all bowling members of Tattersall's go to Les Shean who is our new Club Singles Champion. Les played well to win and on his performance well deserved to start out in the event as favourite.

Another favourite to beat the Books.

Favourite Les Shean won the Club's Singles Championship by 31 to 19 against Len Burke.

Played at Double Bay, the final was watched by a big crowd. Len got away to a good start and at the 12th end led by 16 shots to 3. Rain stopped play for a short time and Len could not get going again. Losing a four on the 13th end and a three on the 14th Les was right back in the game again.

At the 19th end Len still led 17 to 16 but went bad losing three

consecutive fours. Len never got in the game again being beaten on the 25th end after only scoring two singles on the 22nd and 23rd ends.

Congratulations to both Len and Les as they both played very good bowls to reach the final.

In the semi-finals Len Burke beat Jack Pick by four shots and Les Shean beat Mel Watson by 14.

Trophy winners for the month were, April 9th, J. McKell, B. Levey and R. Lyon. April 16th, K. Gayfer, F. Empson and G. Booth.

Among the visitors for the month

were Ken Howard, Ray Mawson, G. Farrar, M. Greenberg.

A reminder that I forgot the sixth man picked for the Interstate Team was brought home to me with a vengeance. The only one picked for the next Metropolitan Team was the one I forgot (Sam Peters). Congratulations Sam, it looks as if you were the only one to retain your form.

It was good to see George Lewis down at Double Bay watching the bowls. Although not 100% fit his beaming smile shows that his spirit is. Keep it up George and you will be soon back bowling again.

## TATTERSALL'S CLUB SYDNEY

### **BILLIARDS HANDICAP TOURNAMENT and SNOOKER HANDICAP TOURNAMENT TO COMMENCE ON 16th JUNE**

#### **BILLIARDS TOURNAMENT**

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First Prize .....	Trophy valued at £50
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Fourth Prize .....	Trophy valued at £5

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First Prize .....	Trophy valued at £100
Second Prize .....	Trophy valued at £50
Third Prize .....	Trophy valued at £20
Fourth Prize .....	Trophy valued at £10

**All Heats to be decided on One Game only.  
Semi-Finals and Finals Best Two out of Three Games**

**AN OPEN DRAW WILL BE MADE BEFORE THE  
COMMENCEMENT OF TOURNAMENTS**

**ENTRIES CLOSE AT GENERAL OFFICE at 2 P.M. on MONDAY,  
8th JUNE, 1964**

**Championships will be played at the completion of the  
TOURNAMENTS**

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at any time for all Travel  
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# League star, Thornett, in new role

International Rugby League star, Ken Thornett, was featured in a new role last month, when as the guest of Bill Sellen Jnr., he presented our Camera Club with a fine slide and lecture tour of the places he had visited in his sporting career. Add to this two excellent Cinesound films on our great far North and the result was another successful and popular Camera Club evening.

It is not usual to combine outstanding skill on the football field with the artistic ability to produce colour photographs of a particularly high calibre but International League player, Ken Thornett, proved during April that he was a most successful exception. His programme included a series of slides taken in many places which he visited during his sporting travels accompanied by a most interesting lecture. Ken established by his excellent commentary that he had absorbed a considerable amount of detail and background of the places he had visited and with his easy manner and genial personality presented his facts in the most interesting way.

Camera Club members found Ken's series of slides on Russia particularly absorbing and enlightening.

So interesting was Ken's programme, and so engrossed became our members, that the second half of the evening had to be cut short and some of the two excellent Cinesound films supplied by member Fred Daniel had to be left over for a future occasion.

The two films in question were, "The Cattle Truckers" and "Isles of the Sun". The former featured the trials of moving cattle by truck in the far North of Australia and was a most authentic record strongly spiced with adventure in this rugged area where the accent is strongly on life in the raw.

The other film, "Isles of the Sun", was a colourful presentation with the North Queensland Islands as its background. The subject was full of opportunities and the camera had taken full advantage of them. The result was an outstanding documentary shimmering with the very spirit of the sunshine and the sea.

At the close of proceedings Camera Club Committeeman Ossie Bates thanked Ken Thornett for taking time off from his training to present his programme. He also thanked Bill Sellen Jnr. for bringing Ken along. Member Fred Daniel was asked to convey sincere thanks to Cinesound for the films and

it was agreed that the whole evening was one of our best so far.

Although we haven't heard from him we understand that our President, Lincoln Hamilton, is thoroughly enjoying his sojourn in Queensland and we are

looking forward to having a camera report on the interesting aspects of his trip up North at some time in the future. In the meantime we send him best wishes from all in the Camera Club and hope that his trip continues as interesting and instructive as possible.


## WHY NOT JOIN THE CAMERA CLUB?

*By this time most readers of T.C.M. will have gathered from our reports that the Camera Club offers its members a considerable amount of entertainment, instruction and interest. Why not join us and enjoy these activities with us?*

*Please don't be backward if you have an interest in photography for we will be more than delighted to have you along. You don't have to be an expert for while some of us are, most of us are not and are just "shutter-bugs" of amateur standard who like to get together over a common interest.*

*If you'd like to join, the procedure is simple. Either roll up to one of our nights or ring the Camera Club Secretary, Tony Bonnici. He's in the Club office on the second floor all day and will be pleased to give you all details of future meetings, time, etc.*

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# Partridge brilliant in championship

Bruce Partridge played brilliantly to defeat Norm Rogers in the only championship played this month. The dearth of matches in this important event combined with a similar tempo in the Good Idea Trophy Championship gave the handball section a pretty quiet month. However we are expecting the pace to step up a little from now on and May should not only see some interesting games but plenty of them as well.

The only Championship match completed since writing my last month's notes was the match, Bruce Partridge v Norman Rogers. This proved to be a brilliant exhibition of first class handball and resulted in a win for Bruce.

Both Bruce and Norman are the hard hitting type of player and at times the ball was moving with such bewildering speed you would wonder how they could see it let alone hit it back just as hard.

Norman played a magnificent game in the first set which he won 22/20. He gave it everything he had and it was a mighty effort to take the set.

In the second and third sets Bruce came on very strongly and Norman tired slightly under the pressure. The second set was won

by Bruce 21/12 and the third set by 21/16. This was a superb match and gave great enjoyment to the players and those who watched it.

## THE GOOD IDEA TROPHY COMPETITION

Here again the tempo was slowed down and only two matches were completed.

Robert Lipman defeated Ralph Davies 41/36.

Jim Comans defeated Keith Doyle 41/33.

Both matches were keenly played.

Robert Lipman showed greatly improved form to defeat Ralph Davies. I noticed Robert getting lots of practice lately with Eddie Davis and no doubt has received a few hints from our ex-champion. Any-

how whatever happened he won this match in good style.

Ralph Davies is never easy to defeat and on this occasion he could not bridge the differences in handicaps.

Jim Comans had a nice win over Keith Doyle by 41/33. It is some time since I saw Keith in action and I did not know what his form was like. Jim Comans in the meantime has been getting in plenty of practice and was in tip top condition. It was a very good match indeed and although Jim won by 41/33 it was closer than the scores indicate. Keith must have had some secret practice. He fought back for every point and on several occasions points which were lost could quite easily have been winners. Congratulations to both men.

## ***Club Ski Lodge***

to be built in

## **Perisher Valley**

The Committee of Tattersall's Club have ratified the formation of a SKI CLUB with the purpose of building a "SKI LODGE" in Perisher Valley. It is expected that the erection of this Lodge will take place in 1965. A Meeting is now planned to determine the type and size of Club desired by Members, and to explore ways and means of bringing these plans to fruition. A Meeting will be held at 6.00 p.m. on Monday, 25th May, in the small Card Room on the 2nd floor. Great enthusiasm surrounds this project — if you are interested make sure that you are there on 25th.

**Come along to the meeting**

**25th MAY — 6.00 p.m.**

**SMALL CARD ROOM, 2nd FLOOR**



# This Month's Birthdays

## MAY:

18. P. F. Firth  
A. H. Kennedy  
G. B. Massingham  
J. G. Fuller  
J. E. Cleary  
B. J. McKenna  
A. W. Hatchman  
J. L. Norris
19. S. E. A. Holland  
V. L. Stokoe  
C. D. Colling  
W. J. Dowd  
A. C. Black  
N. C. Graham  
H. E. Parker  
Dr. S. L. Mayne  
J. Y. McIntosh  
H. T. Kienzle, M.B.E.,  
W. J. Gleeson
20. C. J. Davis  
W. W. Kirwan  
H. R. Miller  
L. G. Burke  
E. Beacham  
B. H. Christie  
J. Goldberg  
J. P. Norrie  
R. O. Pfafflin  
J. R. W. Lyon
21. R. Kessler  
D. R. Ward  
W. J. Doyle  
J. G. Borrow  
T. H. Setright
22. The Hon. L. J. Herron  
R. Kidnie  
V. C. M. Owen  
E. E. Bullen  
E. N. Paxton  
J. V. Walker
23. A. O. Pfafflin  
R. Walder  
D. W. Geyer  
J. H. Roach  
A. S. McMeechan  
P. G. Marks  
E. F. Byrne  
R. E. Bell  
E. W. Swain
24. G. W. Laforest  
A. J. Coates  
A. J. Goran, Q.C.  
R. A. Grayson  
J. A. Carney
25. M. F. Connery  
P. R. Nicholls  
F. Klinger  
K. H. Moremon
26. R. B. Barmby  
G. M. Kerr  
N. McL. MacArthur  
Dr. W. T. Whitby  
H. A. Ashcroft  
A. N. Crane  
R. A. E. Parker  
C. A. Pearce  
T. W. Evans
27. G. A. McGrath  
John Cooper  
G. A. W. See  
M. Scher
28. J. L. Williams  
S. Torok  
K. D. Johnson  
Dr. G. E. Scarf

29. W. O. Band  
G. Widmer  
B. O. Smith  
Dr. B. H. Diamond  
C. J. Breydon  
H. W. Rice  
B. D. Maher  
F. Eric Baume  
E. G. Malouf  
R. G. Millist
30. The Hon. Mr. Justice  
J. S. Clancy  
J. M. Dillon  
G. W. Wormald  
A. E. Gregory  
S. J. Masselos  
I. J. Kennedy
31. J. Coady  
W. O. Ireland  
W. A. Scott  
D. W. Eaton  
R. Muir  
M. Sussman  
G. R. Morgan  
J. L. Davis  
J. W. Hensley

## JUNE:

1. Norman M. Barrell  
I. Green  
K. M. Hudson  
R. C. H. Mackellar  
L. M. Crawford  
M. C. Saba  
H. C. Leathart  
J. E. Hemming
2. L. O. Traynor  
Dr. A. G. Rowell  
R. Kenny  
A. W. G. Anderson  
J. I. Keegan  
E. C. Joye  
R. B. Cleaver
3. F. G. Harvie  
J. Mackay  
J. Wars  
J. R. Dougall  
N. McL. Cush  
H. R. Heat  
R. V. Codner  
K. W. Worsley  
J. A. Owens  
O. P. Howell-Price
4. F. R. Clift  
Struan Smith  
Dr. C. S. H. Reed  
P. J. Little  
L. J. Downs  
P. B. Williams  
J. Kearney  
F. C. Kirkpatrick Jnr.
5. L. Evans  
R. G. Wright  
L. J. Ingham  
D. R. McWilliam
6. R. N. Dowling  
L. S. Parker  
M. Goldman  
G. D. Lawson  
P. D. Kelly  
T. M. McCarthy  
E. T. Bray  
D. V. Duncan
7. H. J. Robertson  
L. M. Purcell  
N. Flohm  
T. K. Shakespeare

- N. F. Lillycrop  
J. F. Jordan  
F. M. Wright  
D. N. Constable  
E. J. Bayliss
8. J. W. Hand  
R. M. Colechin  
G. W. Bray  
C. Lavigne  
F. P. Muldoon  
K. A. Cross  
K. J. Rice  
J. B. McInerney
9. A. A. Boa  
J. M. Proudford  
S. C. Hordern  
A. J. Clark  
R. F. Schuler
10. J. M. Mills  
Dr. J. B. Wilson  
E. F. Fowler  
A. A. Breen  
T. J. Murphy  
I. C. McCallum  
P. R. Capelin
11. J. F. Maunsell  
C. E. Hallaran  
Dr. J. H. Seymour  
Dr. C. A. Downward  
J. H. Reynolds  
R. J. Clarke  
W. B. Barrripp
12. W. M. Edmonds  
J. F. McNally  
O. B. Merriman  
F. R. Ward  
J. S. Franks  
D. W. Wotton  
R. A. Catley  
Jas. Wilson  
L. M. O'Mally  
P. Holohan
13. F. M. Daly, M.H.R.  
H. J. Pamphilon  
Dr. R. A. Vandenberg  
A. C. Fitzgerald  
G. Naher  
J. T. Foster  
A. Hing
14. E. J. Carroll  
A. D. Clifford  
J. A. Shaw  
G. L. Collins  
G. J. Crookes  
G. L. Cannon
15. M. Davis  
K. A. Britter  
R. W. Beatty  
The Hon. Mr. Justice  
C. A. Walsh  
Sir James Kirby, C.B.E.  
T. Cox  
H. Guest
16. J. F. Bremner  
F. N. Anderson  
K. L. Harris  
R. S. McLeod  
J. Berry  
W. Murphy  
J. W. Godden  
B. McD. Wight  
W. Foksett
17. Dr. J. C. Bell Allen  
M. D. Finlay  
M. H. Fredman  
J. F. Cox

## OBITUARIES

### A. D. MACKELLAR

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*Died 30/1/64*

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*Died 23/2/64*

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*Died 1/4/64*

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